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**Stachura, et al.**

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CONTROL FUNCTIONS ON AN ALERT-  
ENABLED MANAGED CLIENT**

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

In response to the Office action mailed **December 12, 2006**, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the patent application in light of the amendment and following remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.

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